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For: METHOD AND DEVICES FOR APPLYING SUBSTANCES TO A SUPPORT, ESPECIALLY MONOMERS FOR THE COMBINATORIAL SYNTHESIS OF MOLECULE LIBRARIES	)

**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
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This communication is in response to the Office Action, dated September 9, having a shortened period for response terminating October 20, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned to extend the period for response to the above-referenced Official Action by ONE month until November 9, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee of \$55.00 for a small entity to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

Please amend the above-entitled application as follows: